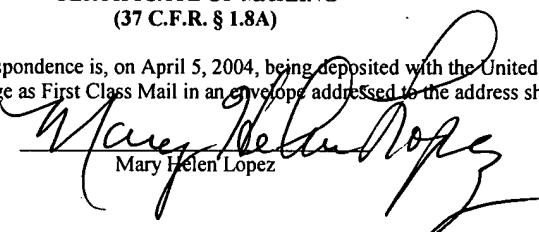


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Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed herein is a reply to the office action dated **January 7, 2004 (Paper #11)**. The Examiner has rejected claims 1-14 and allowed claims 15-24. Please consider the following amendments and remarks.